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For: **ANIMAL MODEL FOR PSORIASIS FOR THE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF
 PSORIASIS IN HUMANS**

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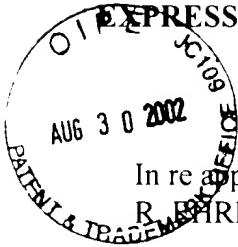
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1. PTO Form 1083 (1 pg.);
2. Response to Restriction Requirement (5 pgs.);
3. Marked-Up Version to Show Changes Made to Specification (1 pgs.);
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This is in response to the Office Action dated **July 31, 2002**, and is submitted on or before the extended due date of **August 31, 2002**. The Examiner is requested to enter the amendment prior to examination of the application.

THE AMENDMENTS

In the Title

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 1-2 with the following paragraph:

--METHOD OF TREATING PSORIASIS--.

In the Claims

Cancel Claims 1-24 and 28-32.

25. (Amended) A method of treating a patient suffering from psoriasis comprising the step of administering to the patient an antibody that binds to an antigen selected from the group consisting of interferon gamma, interleukin 12, and alphaE integrin subunit.